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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS : Thomas McHale, et al.

SERIAL NO. : 10/035,218

FILING DATE : January 4, 2002

FOR : MULTIPLE WING BALLOON CATHETER TO REDUCE
DAMAGE TO COATED EXPANDABLE MEDICAL
IMPLANTS

EXAMINER : Tan-Uyen T. Ho

GROUP ART UNIT : 3731

Docket No. : 12013/58801

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RESPONSE TO THE DECEMBER 13, 2005, FINAL OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

This is a response to the December 13, 2005, final Office Action, which set a period of response extending to and including March 13, 2006.

While no fees are believed to be due, the Commissioner is authorized to debit or credit deposit account No. 11-0600 for any fees associated with this application.

The undersigned requests entry of the following amendments as they place the entire application in condition for allowance.